

## House Resolution No. 2045

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an outstanding young Missouri citizen who has distinguished herself through excellence in the Girl Scouts of the USA organization; and

**Whereas**, Melodie Scallorns, Kennett, Missouri, of Troop 169 of the Cotton Boll Area Council will receive the prestigious Gold Award, Girl Scouting's highest honor, during a special ceremony to be held May 4, 2008, at the First United Methodist Church in Sikeston; and

**Whereas**, Melodie Scallorns earned the praise and respect of many for the initiative and enthusiasm she displayed in regard to her Gold Award Project, which involved the creation of an awareness campaign for Habitat for Humanity; and

**Whereas**, during her twelve years in the Scouting program, Melodie Scallorns earned a wide assortment of badges, patches, and/or skill awards; and

**Whereas**, Melodie Scallorns has achieved all of this and more with the love and admiration of her proud parents, Mike and Vickie Scallorns; and

**Whereas**, America looks to a bright and promising future because of the achievements already realized by such exemplary young women as Melodie Scallorns:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Melodie Scallorns at this proud moment of well-deserved distinction; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Melodie Scallorns, as a mark of our esteem for her.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Tom Todd  
District No. 163

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session,  
do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. 2045, adopted April 21, 2008.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Rod Jetton, Speaker